# COLLEGE HANDBALL AND BILLIARD TOURNEY INAUGURATED LAST WEEK DISEASE, DECAY AND DEAT







SOTELO MAKING MASSE SHOT, With Steve Doherty, referee, in the back g round

TURNER AND THEOBALD. In their game of last Wednesday.

his games with regularity. Crawford has also done good work at times.

Last Tuesday's games opened with a match between Turner and Bennett, in which Turner won, 34 to 29. The high run was 6, made by Turner. Hudgings and Krug followed. Hudgings winning hy a score of 34 to 18. Schoonover defeated Wehinger the same day by a score of 34 to 26, while Sotelo wound up the day by winning from Crawford. 34 to 26. teams of the students. Last Tuesday's HOW THE SCORES STOOD IN WEDNESDAY'S PLAY.

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Wednesday, Hudgings won from Schoonover by a score of 34 to 22, while Tom
Turner defeated Theobald 24 to 24, Quelmalz meeting Crawford the same day and
running up 34 points to the latter's 24.
Sotelo and Krug played the closing game
of the day, Sotelo scoring 34 to Krug's 29.
Thursday, Hudgings again proved victorious, making a score of 34 to Wehinger's
39, Daugherty made 34 to Schoonover's 25,
and Theobald made the requisite 34 to Bennett's 25. Turner and Crawford wound
up the day with a score of 34 to 7 in Turner's favor.

All the boys have shown good work in
the tourney, and while there is nothing
sensational about their play, runs of 6 and
7 being the highest recorded, some good
work has been shown for college students.
The tournaments will continue through this
week and will close about Thursday. It
is likely that both will be made annual
fixtures at the college.

Preparations are going on at the college
campus for the State meet, to be held
there in May, and the college track team
is already out at work. Some high jumpers of ability have been developed and
this feature is expected to be a strong
point in the college's team this year.

Have you yielded to temptation and become a victim of that harmful, vicious and solitary practice of selfabuse, so prevalent and destructive among most young men? You are realizing the baneful effects. Your sallow, pimpled face, dark-circled eyes, stooping form, stunted development, bashful, melancholic countenance and timid bearing proclaim to all the world your folly, and tend to blight your existence. Noctural dreams, exhausting losses of vigor, etc., are a constant drain on your vitality, and will surely lead to an untimely end. Do not despair; we can prepare you for the duties and pleasures of married life and make you once more-a man among men.

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'As We Sow, Must We Reap." Men, Many of You in Your Very Prime Fit Yourselves Broken Down, Weak, Prematurely Old and Drifting On in Despair to That Last Stage of Suffering and Decay Which Precedes the Awful Precipice-Death.

"Good Health Is Man's Most Valuable Possession." What Better New Year Res lution Can You Make Than One Whereby Your Health and Welfare Are Benefited and Your Life and Happiness Prolonged?

Middle-Aged

youth you have no doubt already ; the penalty. Dissipation and sex excesses have been added to y list of transgressions, Private : blood diseases have ravaged y system and undermined your aire weakened vitality. Your neglec weaknesses have developed into ganic disease. You are not the r you should be. You lack the pot energy and confidence which are precious and necessary to peri manhood. You are old before J allotted time, but if you will awai to a realization of your true c dition and take steps to have remedied there are yet many gol years in store for you.

## The Doctors Who Cure to Stay Cure

Varicocele in 5 Days (Safely and Painlessly), Stricture in 10 to 20 Days, Blood Poison in 30 to 90 Days, and Nervo-Sexual Debility in 30 to 90 Days.

These are the four great destructive maladies which undermine manhood and lower the standard of vital power and durance in an inconceivably vast army of men. It is a deplorable fact, but nevertheless true, that the great major all men are compelled to turn away disappointed and mortified to discover that they are but weaklings, unable to enter ranks of the vigorous and sturdy because of the debilitating effects and vicious ravages of these chronic, treacherous affiletions. The importance of early treatment for these diseases cannot be too strongly emphasized; they will never cure them selves, but, on the contrary, are constantly becoming more aggravated, and in time, if neglected, will break down the st est constitution and fill your whole future with misery, suffering and woe. Many men make the grave mistake of selecting the cheapest treatment obtainable, and consequently are disappointed in the results. Skilled service is always cheaper in the end and much more satisfactory. Because you have tried other treatments and have been disappointed is no reason why we st fail; we claim many advantages over the ordinary physician, who lacks the knowledge and experience so neces cases. Years of devoted study and extensive experience in the treatment of male diseases, and our ever-readiness to adopt every improved, curative, scientific discovery have enabled us to evolve unapproachably perfect methods, distinctively our own for the cure of these prevalent, destructive allments and their many reflex complications,

We understand the diseases which constitute our specialty thoroughly and have perfect confidence in our ability to stay cured every patient who comes to us for treatment. We treat all patients personally; you see no substitutes health and manhood are slipping away; you cannot afford to delay. We guarantee a permanent and lasting cure or fee funded. Cast saide your modesty. Call and be examined free,

#### Victims of Varicocele.

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Beware of imitators and impostors, who make alluring promises of cure, but who possess no genuine curative ability. If you are afflicted, come to our office and learn why neglected Varicocele is certain to result in total impotency, and how, by our method of procedure, we can forever rid you of this deadly complaint. If skeptical we refer you to reliable business men whom we have cured, and will convince you that we can fulfill all our promises. We are treating more cases of Varicocele than any other specialist in America, and can give you the very quickest, safest and surest cure known to medical science.

#### Stricture Sufferers.

Stricture and gleet are the two destructive maladies which go hand in hand for evil in the male genito-urinary never cure themselves, but on the contrary are ever becoming more aggravated, and if neglected or improperly treate to result in Bladder and Kidney Complications of a serious and fatal nature. The method of cutting and dilation most physicians is harsh, unscientific treatment, and cannot be too strongly condemned, for it invariably leaves the worse condition than before.

Our cure for Stricture is safe, painless and permanent, and free from surgery in any form. Our treatment, beside wonderful healing and curative powers, is anti-inflammatory, antiseptic and germicidal; and the cure is accomplished fering or personal inconvenience, in a thorough and radical manner. We can promise every sufferer from Stricture as plete and lasting freedom from the many annoying and distresseing symptoms which accompany these conditions. Etion in the urethra is forever removed, all discharge soon ceases, inflammation and soreness are allayed, the ulcerate bladder are healed, the prostate gland reduced in size, the sexual system is invigorated and a complete restoration to

### Contagious Blood Poison.

Once the destructive virus of Specific Blood Poison has entered and polluted the blood, it is of the utmost importance the you take immediate steps to be purged of it; for, if unarrested or improperly treated, this venomous poison will penetrate and ravage every anatomical structure of the body. Like slow fire, the disease invades the different organisms—none spared—in turn the blood, the glands, the skin, the nerves, the bones and vital organs are involved, the very framework the body becomes putrefied, breaks down and is consumed. Saturating the system for years with Mercury, Potash and other injurious minerals is a harsh, unscientific treatment; it simply suppresses the symptoms and leaves in its wake a train of or more to be dreaded than the disease itself. Untiring research in the mysteries of Organic Chemistry has enabled us to part a treatment for Blood Poison which cures permanently in from 60 to 90 days. Our cure contains no injurious drugs, leaves a treatment for Blood Poison which cures permanently in from 60 to 90 days. Our cure contains no injurious drugs, leaves a treatment for Blood Poison which cures permanently in from 60 to 90 days. Our cure contains no injurious drugs, leaves a treatment for Blood Poison which cures permanently in from 60 to 90 days. Our cure contains no injurious drugs, leaves a treatment for Blood Poison which cures permanently in the antagonism to the virus; it neutralizes and systematically destroys atom of venom; it assists the natural functions and excretory organs in eliminating every trace of poison, and at the extince of the property of healthy organism. We are thoroughly familiar with every remedy in vogue for the relief of this condition, a know that the treatment we employ is the only safe, rational and lasting cure in existence for this disease. Have you trusted your health to incompetent druggists or physicians or relied on patent remedies to carry you through? Does it poison still lurk in your system? Can you afford to enter the matrimonial state with this unce

#### Nervo-Sexual Debility.

Are you reaping the results of your former folly and indiscretions? You are nervous, irritable and despondent; every organ of your body seems deranged; you are growing weaker and weaker sexually, your manhood is on the decline and will soon be lost unless you do something for yourself. Our long experience has rendered us thoroughly familiar with all the causes and effects of Nervo-Sexual Debility, and we have lifted up enough fallen men to make an army. What we have done for others we can do for you, if you will but give us an opportunity of demonstrating the splendid virtues of our treatment. We will give you a digestive system able to assimilate your food and fill vour velns with pure, rich blood, a strong heart and increased circulation an ever active liver, kidneys that work as nature designed they should, and a nervous system so keen and true that your daily work will prove a pleasure. Your sleep will be sound and dreamless, and the morning light will find you equipped for the duties of life as you never were before. Our treatment will remove all the ill effects of your former folly, stop every loss and drain on your vitality, invigorate the wested sexual organs, clear up the clouded brain, in fact, strengthen you in every way and quickly restore you to what nature intended—a healthy and happy man, with Physical. Mental and Sexual powers complete.

The treatment we employ contains no injurious drugs and leaves no bad after effects; it builds up gradually and permanently strengthens the weakened parts, and is entirely different from the many cheap, worthless remedies on the market.

WRITE—One personal visit is always preferred, but if it is impossible for you to call, write us a full secuription of your hand proven uniformly successful; thousands are cured by mail who otherwise would be unable to take advantage of our experience still and wonderful success in curing. All out-of-town patients receive our personal attention, and may rest assured that our very best efforts will be put forth in their behalf, as

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here with a small string of Barney Schreiber's 2-year-olds. Wilton, a chestnut filly by Service—Miss Howard, is the highest tried baby in the Schreiber barn.

J. D. Deering, another Texas horseman, is at the track with a large string of 2-year-olds, most of which were stred by Tom Paxton, who got Colonel Gay, Dan Paxton and other well-known performers. Deering has a chestnut filly by Tom Paxton—Planetus II that is credited with being able to move some. He also has a chestnut colt by the same sire, out of Nadine III, and a chestnut gelding by Tom Paxton—Redina, both of which ought to make useful thoroughbreds if their looks count for anything.

R. J. COLLAINS.

Pedestrians Gathering at New York Pedestrians Gathering at New York for the Event.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York. Jan. 18.—Professional pedestrians from all over the country are gathering at New York for the six-day go-asyon-please race, which will open at Madison Garden on Sunday evening. February 8, and close the following Saturday. The enterprise is given under the management of J.

C. Kennedy and P. T. Powers, president of the Eastern Baseball League, who were in charge of the recent six-day bloycle race.

While in a flourishing condition in many of the Eastern cities, this form of sport has been dead for a long time in New York, but much interest is being manifested in its revival. The race will be an innovation to those who have been accustomed to participating in the old 42-hour plugging match. In the old days a man could stay on the track as long as he pleased, but in the present affair the men will compete in teams, working under the same conditions that governed the late six-day cycle race.

The race will be a continuous 142 hours' contest, the men holding the right to rest as they see fit, except that no contestant can remain on the track for more than twelve hours in each twenty-four. This insures a sprinting match from the start.

In order to add to the interest there will be exhibitions of heel-and-toe walking and sprinting matches between the leading professionals. Edward Payson Weston, the father of go-as-you-please racing, will walk every afternoon and evening. As a special feature the basement of the garden will be transformed into German Villages, Streets of Cairo and other novel scenes.

The money will be distributed among the

Students at Christian Brothers College Played Opening Game in Each Tourney Tuesday-Hudgings and Sotelo Showed Good Work

in the Billiards-Jackson, Foley and Obert Stars

at Handball.

RITTEN FOR THE SUNDAY REPUBLIC. Handball and billiard tournaments were inaugurated at the Christian Brothers' College last week, the billiard tourney being

Handball games are played in the gymnasium of the college, the west wing of the institution having a lofty room fitted Handball games at the up for exercising purposes, which is espe- nated, one contest being played between

GENERAL SPORT GOSSIP

Young Corbett Is Now With Us and Will Remain for a Week-John

McKenna May Bring Johnny Reagan to This City-Interesting

Performance of John Lawson Last Week-Trouble With

the Nose Common to Many Pugilists.

Weight champion of the world, as he appears in evening costume and in the ring.

looks like. At the same theater that and states that he keeps himself constantly McGovern showed on his last trip here, just in boxing trim.
two months ago, the new champion will. His denial of his engagement with Maud

When McGovern was here last he was the Denver girl. He stated, however, that the undisputed feather-weight champion of the world. With him was Danny Daugher- the young woman he had never been en-

ty, who laid claim to the bantam championship. During the stay of McGovern's troupe
here, Daugherty met Harry Forb's at the
West End Club and was knocked out in
the second round. But a few weeks later

Giroux, his representative. The latter will

and cement wall on the east side of the room and a board partition on the north side, afford good courts where the game

something of a novelty in college sports in this city. Considerable interest has been shown in both events by the students, and some good players have been developed in both lines of sport.

The handball tournament has especially appealed to the members of the college fond of active sports, and names of those prominent in football circles last season are noticeable among the players. Henry Jackson, brother of the football captain of hast season, and Steve Doherty, member of the C. B. C. team, both showed up well in their games, and seem to have a good courts where the game can be played with plenty of room.

All billiard games are played in the room directly across the hall from the gymnasium where the college billiard and pool the students have shown in this branch of the tourney, as well as in the handball game, and some of the students have shown to advantage at both branches of the sport. In order to have no conflict with the studies of the boys, the games are played in the room directly across the hall from the gymnasium where the college billiard and pool tourney, as well as in the handball game, and some of the students have shown to advantage at both branches of the students have shown to advantage at both branches of the students have shown to advantage at both branches of the students have shown to advantage are played in the room directly across the hall from the gymnasium where the college billiard and pool tourney, as well as in the handball game, and some of the students have shown to advantage at both branches of the students have shown to advantage at both branches of the students have shown to advantage at both branches of the students have shown to advantage at both branches of the students have shown to advantage at both branches of the students have shown to advantage at both branches of the students have shown to advantage at both branches of the students have shown to advantage at both branches of the students have shown to advantage at both branches of the students have shown to advantage

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AND PUGILISTIC TALK.

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14: Jackson, 21: Turner, 19.

Wednesday two double games were played between teams, Hamilton and Donohue meetin; Foley and Ahearn, while Obert and Hoover tied up with Hastidt and Obsen. Hamilton and Donohue captured the first game by a score of 21 to 17, while the second game was won by Obert and Hoover, who made 21 points while their opponents were running up a score of 7.

Thursday an individual game and a double game were played, Turner winning the individual contest by a score of 21 to 14 from Goeders, while in the double event Henry Jackson and Turner defeated Hamilton and Donohue by the score of 21 to 7.

Henry Jackson showed up particularly well in this contest, while Foley and Obert, who compose one of the fastest teams in the college, did some good work in individual games. Quelmalz, who was a candidate for quarter on the football team last season, and who played on the second team in several games, did some good playing in the billiard tourney.

All handball games at the college are played with the regulation handball, which is much smaller and much harder than the tennis and soft rubber balls used by many of the college teams.

Hudgings showed considerable form in the billiard tourney and won his first three games in impressive fashion. All games were straight-rail billiards and some fairly good players have been seen in the last week, Sotelo showing up well and winning is a welter weight, but the two are said to give an interesting boxing exhibition.

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Announcements that John McKenna has secured the managership of Johnny Rea-gan probably means that the fighter will be seen in this city in the near future. Mc-Kenna is likely to remain around the neigh-borhood of the McGovern camp until after the Sullivan fight, at least, in an effort to get on a match for Abe Attell, but it is probable that he will try and send his new acquisition to this city if a fight can be

secured.

Attell must have taken on some weight since he left this city if McKenna really since he left this city if McKenna really wishes to send him against McGovern. When he was last here he weighed between 100½ and 113 pounds, tipping the scale at the former figure when he fought Dixon and weighing in the neighborhood of the latter figure when he met Harry Forbes. Even assuming that other things were assuming that other things were account the weight here about the weight here. equal, this would be a heavy handicap to give McGovern in a meeting.

The McGovern-Sullivan fight will be the next item of puglistic interest and considerable speculation has been induged in ever since it became necessary to operate on Terry's nose. There was a disposition to make McGovern an overwhelming favorite before the operation became necessary, but row many doubts are expressed as to whether he will round to in time.

Young Corbett stated yesterday that his nose had troubled him the same way that McGovern's had done and that difficulty in breathing on account of a swollen or displaced cartilage was not uncommon in puglists who had received many punches in the nose.

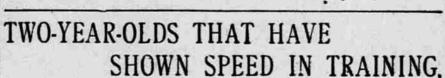
"My nose was in the same shape as McGovern's when we met," he said, "and I still have the same difficulty in breathing. I did not think in a six-round bout at 15 pounds, followed by a six-round bout between Joe Yanger and Fred Buckhold at 115 pounds.

John Lawson, the Terrible Swede, furnished an interesting performance at a local theater the last week by appearing with his partner, Leonard Wilson, in a "cycle whir!" on a 127-lap track. The track was slightly more than twenty-five feet in diameter and was banked at an angle of

in diameter and was banked at an angle of \$9 degrees, necessitating a high speed on the part of the riders, who wished to circle the tiny course.

To make the feat even more difficult, the side of the track nearest the audience was made of slate through which the riders could be seen. The bumping of the bicycles going over these slats was something terrific, and must have jarred the riders considerably.

Lawson stated last week that he had never completed the circuit of the track for more than forty times on account of the tremendous strain, and speed necessary the tremendous strain, and speed necessary to keep from slipping down off the sharp sides of the affair.
"I do not believe that any one can ride a full mile on the track," he said, "as the



Ornament, Dr. Rice, Wadsworth, Prince Royal, Esher and Other Sires Have Fast Youngsters at New Orleans Track.

Young Corbett, the feather-weight cham- but with tremendously powerful shoulders plon of the world and conquerer of Terry of the Fitzammons order with legs which seem rather slender at first sight. He ans will have an opportunity to see what looked in perfect health upon his arrival

Sires Have Fast Youngsters at New Orleans Track.

Steelal Correspondence of The Bunday Republic.
New Orleans, Jan, II.—The entries to the Sever-old stakes to be decided during the Sever-old stakes to be an anounced this week. There are four fixed events for the juvenilies, the first of which, the Orleans Stakes for colon, and the Sever-old stakes are supported by the Stakes for fillers, 1000 added, four Uniongs, will be run. The New Orleans Stakes for colts and gedings. 2000 added, four the Jongs, will be decided on March 5.

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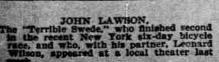
Forty-nier nominations were made to the Premier Stakes, forty-eight to the Orleans only twenty-two ty the New Orleans, and the Premier Stakes, forty-eight to the Orleans and the Sever-old only twenty-two ty the New Orleans, have been nominated for the St. Louis 2-year-olds in classes of the Sever-old only twenty-two ty the New Orleans, have been nominated for the St. Louis 2-year-olds in classes of the Sever-old only twenty-two ty the New Orleans, and the Sever-old of the Sever-old on the Sever-ol



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two months ago, the new champion will now give his exhibitions and will spar with

trainer, Philadelphia Tommy Ryan. When McGovern was here last he was





much the same height as was McGovern,

Slater of Denver was the most sensational announcement since he arrived, as it has been widely reported that he was to marry

gaged to her and that he had never asked her to marry him. Corbett is accompanied by P. J. Ken-